

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re application of: Venegas, Jr.

Serial No.: 10/027,954 Group No.: 3635

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For: ENTRANCE BARRICADE FOR VEHICLES USING LOADING DOCKS, AND THE LIKE

TRANSMITTAL OF APPELLANT'S APPEAL BRIEF

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Dear Sir:

On February 25, 2004, Applicant responded to the September 25, 2003 final Office Action by submitting a "Combined Transmittal of Appeal Brief to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences and Petition for Extension of Time" (received February 27, 2004). An appropriate fee of \$165 and extension fee of \$210 accompanied this paper. Applicant acknowledges that a "Notice of Appeal" should have been submitted on February 25, 2004; however.the.correct.fee amounts were submitted. Applicant submits herewith a replacement Notice of Appeal (to be placed in the file), Appeal Brief and appropriate fee for the above matter.

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Respectfully submitted,

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